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THE McBRIDE GOVERNMENT AND LAND TRAFFIC

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The Ministerial Union of the Lower Mainland of British Columbia have sent out a Meechisonian to the Dominion Government to help them by means of a Royal Commission to investigate the affairs of British Columbia. The Union demands that the robbers be brought to justice and that the guilty parties, whether companies, syndicates, individuals, cabinet ministers or government officials who have shared in the plunder, be held and forced to disgorge. The Ministerial Union is a body of men and long-suffering men. It has no politics save the public good. But ten years of McBrider rule in British Columbia has left it in a state of alarm, bordering panic. Unless the grafting is stopped and they are nothing but economic and social ruin for one of the most richly endowed provinces in the Dominion.

Their allegation is that the Province with the connivance of leading members of the McBrider government, has been particularly guilty by the aid and abetment of the head offices of their case are set forth in a pamphlet compiled by M. B. Cotsworth, an English student of repute, who has been several times called in by the McBrider Government as an expert, and who consequently knows his British Columbia like a book. Mr. Cotsworth naturally thought he had been called in to tell the truth, but when he found his reports suppressed, his work on the Civil Service Commission choked off, and his own honor assailed by attempts to hush him, he threw up his task in disgust and joined the reformers. In Mr. Cotsworth the Ministerial Union finds a splendid ally—he supplies the facts, figures and detailed knowledge, which put their charges beyond question.

Citizens of Canada were greatly disgusted with the strong-arm gang in Manitoba. Their work was coarse and lawless. They did not even take the pains to hide their tracks well. They did not flatter the public by pretending any Machiavellian arts of deception. What they aimed they went for and there were eye witnesses who knew they got them out of the country after giving them their share of the swag to keep quiet. Nothing new or devious about these methods—just plain assault and battery and high-way robbery with abduction and subornation of perjury thrown in for good measure. But what they did to Manitoba, known as it was, is not a circumstance to what happened in British Columbia.

Beside the British Columbia outfit blackest of artists, highlanders and parkland slanders, the Manitoba gang took like a band of Eponian Leagues engaged in and uplift meeting. Manitoba is worrying over a matter of a million, perhaps ten millions if the Agricultural side is included, but what the booties did to British Columbia was into hundreds of millions and then some. Sir Wilfrid Mowbray, recently before the Davidson Commission at Ottawa and pointed out what a patriot he was in purchasing a brace of submarines for \$8,000,000 more than the market price, a bewildering sort of arithmetic, which goes a long way towards explaining the present financial troubles of British Columbia.

They have enjoyed the kind of arithmetic for the past ten years and have at last turned against Conservative government which conspires in selling but its grating friends and its own pocket. Premier McBrider, as the son of a prison warden, began life as a jail and if a judicial investigation into the British Columbia scandal pass out as well as the Ministerial Union expects, it is not unlikely that some distinguished statesmen may spend a good part of their declining years in the same place.

The allegation of British Columbia lands as traced by Mr. Cotsworth takes shape as a colossal crime which has been committed by cabinet ministers, crooked statisticians and false maps have failed to cover up. The

British Columbia people are asked to believe that there are over 90,000,000 acres of land surveyed and held for the preemption right; that 45,000,000 acres of this lies within three miles of a railway; that all these lands have been rescued from the clutches of the speculators and that they are free to the settler who is given every assistance to get on the land. The actual facts, as ascertained by the Ministerial Union's enquiry, are these. There are perhaps 16,000,000 acres of available agricultural land in British Columbia of which ninety per cent have been handed over to land gamblers and speculators operating under "dummy" names with the connivance and legislative assistance of the British Columbia Government. Of this agricultural land there is not an acre left save twenty miles of a railway or a wagon road and the "all red folder" issued by the government is a cruel piece of misrepresentation. Millions of acres are held by land gamblers and speculators controlled from Seattle, Portland, Spokane, San Francisco, Chicago, New York, London, Berlin, Paris and the European centers of finance. There is reason to believe that Cabinet Minister's and Government officials are interested as silent partners in many of these syndicates. The statistics of the Agriculture Department report of 1914 has been cleverly manipulated to cover up the most glaring instances of land grafting in certain districts. The laws of British Columbia set a limit of 480 acres for any one person until he has exhausted his first purchase to the extent of \$5,000 per acre. But in 1907 the McBrider Government amended the Land Act adding these words "Land may be staked or located by an agent under this section."

This joker clause permitted any man to stake thousands of acres in the names of others who had never seen it, said names being easily obtained for a dollar, or a drink or the mere asking from those who never intended to take up land.

With these signatures and a bogus power of attorney which purported to give an irrevocable transfer of the land from the person whose name is used to the grantees, these lands have been sold and the grantees have been able to stake the best lands along the line of prospective railroads, whose location had been tipped off to them by friends on the inside. The immediate result of this amendment, giving power to stake land by agent was an increase of 192 per cent in applications to purchase land in 1909, and 391 per cent in 1910. In the first three years after the amendment was passed, a total of 2,274,500 acres was staked in the case of 114 agents. The average per stake in 1910 was 20,882 acres. In two years following the amendment 31 stakes covered 524,720 acres. The railway legislation of 1910 practically doubled the value of these stolen lands and "stake" companies have made \$1,000,000 in that year. The Land Act of 1911 doubled the price of lands and this secured the fortunes of the lucky speculators. Staking 450,000 acres at the rate of \$100,000 a week. The game was a sure thing and everybody with a pull wanted to get in on it.

As a matter of fact staking was so easy that it was almost the easiest thing in the world to do. It was so easy that Mr. Cotsworth got rid of his Chief Engineer, Mr. F. C. Gamble, who was as incorruptible as he was. Commissioner Cotsworth accepted none of the suggestions, stood by his Chief Engineer and brought in a report that was never printed. Although the Supreme Court of British Columbia and the Dominion of Canada have both declared that this method of staking land is fraudulent and illegal, the game went right along until the

Sons of the Prairie

"They are lost, our guns, to the conquering Huns."

"Lost?" will you tell us so?

In the lingo's test of the grim Far West,

"Tis a word we do not know."

And they gritted their teeth their lips beneath,

Those Prairie's hard-bit sons,

As from man to man the catchword ran,

"We'll have back the captured guns."

On that quest all bent at the foe they went,

The lads of the great Far West,

Their blood ran fire with a righteous ire,

And they fought like men possessed.

One brief hot spell of loosened Hell:

He'll for the baffled Huns,

But a time this of this wild mad bliss

To the Prairie's dashing sons.

They slew, were slain, yet knew no pain

In the thrill of the breathless hour.

When the big guns flash and the bayonets clash

And you're gripped in the war-lust's power.

And the Teutons fought as they should and ought

All martial Deutschland's sons,

But the Prairie bred were the men at need,

And they had back their captured guns.

Their fame resounds to the Empire's bounds,

Lads of the grim Far West,

Who saved the day in that breathless fray

And bettered the foeman's best.

And methinks that foe will now be slow

To boast of his captured guns.

While accounts are there and still to square

With the pick of the Prairie's sons.

boom burst. The lands are assessed at a cost of one acre although the Government paid 40 cents an acre for railway subsidy lands in the same districts. The grabbers usually secured this land from the Government on a part payment of fifty cents an acre, not paying nothing further on it, unless taxes and then resold it at higher prices—not a lot of it at less than seven dollars and a half an acre—to unsuspecting settlers who were unable to get a proper title to the land. Often enough these foreign speculators were not particular about the land they sold and many cases of hardship have arisen among settlers who thought they had bought farms and found nothing but sand and mountain scenery.

All of which goes to show that the bonafide British Columbia settler has a fat chance under the McBrider system of exploiting Crown lands. The situation of the public domain here, is only a small part of the indictment against the British Columbia Government. Coal lands, railway subsidies, pulp lands and company concessions are sources of scandal which have transformed as the Vancouver Sun remarks, a flourishing Province "into a community which not for the first time is bankrupt and where employment is at a minimum."

THE "CHEAP" SUBSCRIBER
A paper in Ontario has entered suit against one subscriber in that town who had taken the paper for the past four years and when asked to settle up said he had never ordered it and refused to pay. "We don't know whether he did or not," says the paper, "it was before our time. But we do know that he has been receiving the paper regularly and that, therefore, according to law, he is responsible for the pay. Imagine the nerve of a fellow who would take a paper for four years, never refuse it, and then when asked to settle, say he never ordered it. We hope other papers have not any subscribers 'cheap' as this one on their list."

Seventh Annual Exhibition

With the change in the weather for the better, prospects for the Exhibition are exceedingly bright. Parties wishing to enter cattle should note that a fine new shed has been erected at the west end of the grounds so that the animals will have to stand in the sun all day. The exhibitors other than live stock will be accommodated in the curving rink and additional attractions will be an exhibit from the Dominion Experimental Farm at Kelowna, British Columbia, and an exhibit of grain and grass, etc. from the Chesholm Demonstration Farm. Everything is ready for a successful fair. While the new programme is a small one as regards money, owing to the fact that the Directors of the Park Association felt they could not this year put up prices, enough of any size is justice to themselves and the community, still a large number of harness horses and runners are expected. The Chesholm Derby will be kept up in form at any rate for a small price. An interesting local event will be the Niswank Race for local horses bred by Niswank. The fair starts at ten o'clock on Thursday with judging of light horses and pure bred heavy horses which will be completed that day. All exhibits other than live stock and Dairy Products will be judged on Thursday. On Friday heavy horses (grade) cattle, wine will be judged also dairy products.

A Fine Program for The Vulcan Stampede
The Vulcan Stampede promises to be the best of its kind that the south of the province has yet seen, the best riders and ropers from different parts of the continent have indicated that they will be present to contest for the various prizes, aggregating \$2,500, on August 11.
Among the well known horsemen, who will be in Vulcan on that day are: Walter McElwain, who won the first

prize and championship for roping at Chesholm this year; Jack McNeill, Joe Case, of High River; Vic Scott, another Gleichen rider, who lifted first at Vulcan last year; Lee Christenson, of Steveston; Tex Wilson, from back rider, of the H2 ranch; Steve Smith; Chet Mitchell, the champion rider of Oregon; Dick McNeil; B. V. V. P. S. Howard; W. Livingston, the cutthroat who made the fastest time on one steer at Gleichen this year; Lieut. Poe; Roy Lane of the Bar U ranch; R. Broderick, jr., Calgary; Scotty Harwick and R. Hill.

Among the cowgirl riders there are such well known figures as Susan and Kittie Brown, of the A. O. Ranch; Gleichen; two of the best known cowgirls on the continent; Ada Lammert, Ma, Laura Adams and Little Moe.

The management are sparing no effort to have everything of the best and the entire country being secured with view to obtaining the very best of horses for the wild horse race and other events and steers for the roping contests. The day promises to be the biggest event of the year. Special trains have been arranged from all parts.

SUCCESSFUL LAWN SOCIAL

A very enjoyable garden party was held on the lawn at the Methodist church on Friday evening July 30. The refreshment table was prettily decorated with green and white, and in the arrangement, something was given to a color scheme representing the four seasons. This together with the electric light, lantern light for the occasion gave quite an attractive appearance to the grounds. Refreshments which consisted of ice cream and other reasonable viands were served on small tables and the guests were very comfortable.

We understand that financially as well as otherwise the party was highly satisfactory and the Methodist ladies are to be congratulated on the success of the whole affair.

Clear Laid vs. Grain Belt

The old rivals met once more on Saturday evening and put up a good band of ball. The game was played on the local diamond which made an even break for both teams. "Shorty" Legard's team were in fine working order, so they got the long end of the score. We think the reason for this was that Roy gave his "pull chasers" a good lecture and some "pull chasers" and the Clear Laid boys deserve great credit for the game they put up which was by no means show ball.

We will be glad to see the boys in town again, any old time to help things in the sport line along. Reynolds and Moffatt looked after the game to the satisfaction of all. The score was eleven to three in favor of Clear Laid.

The lineup was follows:
Clear Laid: Clear Laid 1b, Christoferson 2b, H. Conroy 3b, E. Best 4b, P. Burg 5b, A. Lewis 6b, S. Schumaker 7b, E. G. Lewis 8b, S. Wynn 9b, L. Schumaker 10b, E. D. Lewis 11b, E. Fredrickson 12b.

GRADES X AND XI RESULTS

The names of the pupils who were successful in passing the examinations at the public school of Grades ten and eleven were as follows:

Grade ten: Dorothy McNeill, Maude Milnes, Alex Simpson, Percy Cochran, Lillian Selberg, Ward Clark, Irene Walker and Frank McKenney.
Grade eleven: Ruth Simpson, Jack Strang, Catherine Matheson, Ethel Annable and Warren Hillard.

The editor gives out all the news he knows. Why don't you?

Soldiers to Help in

The Harvest Fields

This week the Review has received a letter from some of the soldiers at the Strevie Camp, who are desirous of taking advantage of the opportunity offered them by the Government to help in harvesting the crop this year. We have taken the matter up with Wm. Moffatt, M.P.P., and he has had several communications from the Government in regard to the harvest labor and he has very kindly consented to do all he can in getting the farmers help and in obtaining employment for the farmers who desire it.

By leaving your name with Mr. Moffatt, and state about when you will require the help, you may be greatly assisted in solving your harvest labor problems. He will either try and secure some one for you or will give you the address to write to, and get some one yourself.

In some of our neighboring towns, labor bureaus are being formed, which are making a small charge for looking after this work. But Mr. Moffatt believes, with the hearty co-operation of the farmers, matters can be greatly facilitated, and a charge will not be necessary, as there should be no expense in this connection.

A YEAR OF WAR

The war is one year old. Judging from the present condition of affairs in Europe it is just about started.

Germany is fighting with her back to the wall. Her resources are being supported by an organization which the allies admit is most wonderful.

But should the Germanic hosts capture Petrograd, or Paris, or land in England, the war would only be nearly started.

The dream of Germany is set like the hand of China in her forehead, and while the end may be averted for months or years, it is nevertheless certain.

The tremendous friction within the German empire caused by the outbreak of her forces to beat back the hosts thronging on every side, must inevitably wear her strength down.

It took years and years for the world to defeat Napoleon and take the spirit of the corps out of the French troops at that time, flushed with victory.

And the Prussian soldier nowadays has forgotten the "goose step."

Be Frank With the Dealer

Be frank open and manly with yourself and ask your dealer to be the same.

Then there will be more consumers in the town to feed, and the farmer will profit by it. So will the retail merchant and also the consumer, citizens of the town, the professional man and the employee, as they will be profitable and earning money.

When the citizens of a town have money in the bank or juggling in their pockets a town worth while is in evidence, a farming community worth while is also very noticeable.

What helps one helps all, and no catalogue house can better conditions in a locality that works together in this way.

Selfishness, jealousy and stubbornness are a certain kind of harpoon that cuts deep.

Many a wife makes angel cake for husband and let's everything else go to the devil.

G. R. Maxwell received a letter from his son Howard, who is with the troops at Canterbury, England. He reports that while most of the boys in crossing the water were somewhat sea sick, that he, Prentiss and Nelson escaped the sensation and are feeling fine.

Don't Forget The Claresholm Exhibition

Thursday and Friday, Next, August 12 and 13

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May a smart kid who has raised his mother has found it a different proposition to govern a wife.

Sometimes a woman just wishes she could be as manly and as independent as her maid and still retain her position in society and her husband.

When the cat is away the mice begin to play, and by the same token let it be said that when a woman is away her husband sometimes plays in his neighbor's back yard.

An exchange says, it is astonishing how some minds will hold out under continual drafts. It is said a female friend of the acquaintance has been giving a piece of her mind to most everybody for forty years, and yet the original plant remains.

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DON'T MISS THE VULCAN STAMPEDE

Wednesday, August 11

Some of the best Riders and Ropers in the country will be there.

Special events. Splendid prizes. First class Riders, \$2,500 in Purse.

Special train will leave Claresholm at 7:28 a.m. Return fare: Adults \$2.35, Children \$1.20. Returning same day. Write the Stampede Secretary, Vulcan, for full particulars.

\$2,500 in PRIZES \$2,500

LOCALS

Mrs. R. Y. Stebbins was a Grannum visitor Monday.

Several Claresholmites are attending the Grannum Fair, today.

G. H. Maxwell spent the latter part of last week in Calgary.

J. R. Riley attended the Grannum Fair yesterday and today.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rees on Sunday of last week, a son.

Attended the Claresholm Exhibition, Thursday and Friday, next.

Don't forget the half holiday and the excursion trains coming in tomorrow.

Geo. Wilson, of Lethbridge, spent a few days in town on business last week.

One year ago yesterday Great Britain entered the greatest war of all history.

Mrs. W. M. Ross and son are spending the week with friends in Calgary.

G. L. Allen of Cardston and J. Bigdon have been relieving the operators

at the local depot while they were attending the Marsh and Pole case in Mexico.

C. V. Relyea, of the C. P. R. staff at Tabor, was a Claresholm visitor last week.

Thos. McLean, of Calgary, was in Claresholm on business a few days this week.

Robt. Shaw returned, Saturday evening from a business trip to Vancouver, B. C.

F. C. Moore and J. L. Frampton, of the Hills, were guests of friends in town Sunday.

Fred Thomas and Geo. Burch have been enjoying a week at Old Man River fishing.

L. A. Parry is in Humphrey this week, judging grain for the Agricultural Society.

E. Mokey has been assisting at the Western Canada Lumber yard a few days this week.

J. T. Kingsley took into captivity on Thursday last a fine specimen of the weasel tribe.

Thos. Moore and Allan McDonald, of the 14th Ranch were in Macleod on business Friday.

Mrs. B. Doyle and daughter, Ruth, left Friday to spend a couple of weeks holidays at Banff.

Mrs. Stanley Wyatt is spending a few weeks with relatives at Gig Harbor, Washington.

Mrs. J. L. Wainman, of Edmonton is visiting her father, Frank Murray and family here.

Miss C. Lund returned home on Thursday after spending a week with her sister in Babine.

Call on the secretary of the Agricultural society, J. R. Watt, and get an exhibition grain list.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Thompson and family of Star Line, is spending a week in the hills fishing.

Sergeant Elliott of the 13th C. M. R., at Calgary, is spending a few days in town this week.

Inspector Tucker, of the R. C. M. P., of Claresholm, was in town on Monday—Carmichael Sun.

Harold Forest, of Meadow Creek was the guest of Miss Wainman, Tuesday evening this week.

Miss Lewis of Grail Belt, returned Sunday evening after spending a few days with friends in Calgary.

R. Gauthier and S. Henderson were in Macleod Tuesday as witnesses on the Marsh and Pole case.

Miss Olga Mosted is spending a couple of weeks in days with Miss D. Mason at Horseshoe Ranch.

A. E. Thompson and C. W. Durkin were in Macleod Tuesday as witnesses on the Marsh and Pole case.

Lance-Corporal Larry Bell of the 13th C. M. R. at Calgary spent a few days with friends in town this week.

H. Sifton of the Sifton ranch, left Tuesday morning for Portland, Oregon, where his brother is seriously ill.

Morley Tillotson and sister, Helen, returned home Saturday, after spending a week at the Kingscote & Boly Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hagerman and family visited at the home of Mr. Hagerman's parents, at Parkland, Sunday.

Miss Alberta Maxwell, from south of town is spending the week with her little friend Miss Dorothy Van Horn here.

Miss Jeanie Barton of Brandon, arrived Friday to spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cochran and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kingsley, accompanied by Mrs. O. L. Relyea, made a motor trip to Frazier Creek on Sunday.

Rev. Wm. McNichol and son, Chas. are spending a few weeks with the latter's brothers, Peter and John, near Empress.

Transport Sergeant P. M. Abel of the 13th Company A. S. C. Surcou, Camp Calgary, spent Sunday with friends in town.

R. E. Gauthier and sister, Mrs. W. H. Shanks, returned Friday after spending a couple of weeks with friends at Banff.

Ernie Buckingham, of the 13th C. M. R., was in town this week but has been released and is now on duty again.

The Claresholm Band under the leadership of W. H. Shanks, is functioning the music at the Grannum Fair yesterday and today.

Mrs. Knifton, of Stathula, Saskatchewan, arrived here last evening to spend a couple of weeks with her daughter, Mrs. E. Jones.

Bert Ford of the 13th C. M. R. at Calgary, formerly employed by "Rim" Hardwick, was in town a few days last week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cochran and family, accompanied by Miss Jeanie Barton, of Brandon, Manitoba, are spending the week at Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Foss and Mrs. L. H. Uglan and daughter, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson and family west of Claresholm.

Messrs. Jno. Fraser and M. Reor were in the Hills fishing last Friday and Saturday, and were successful in catching forty-three fine trout each.

Miss McKinney, who has been teaching at Schaffer school, has closed the term and is now at the home of her brother, G. McKinney.

Mrs. W. A. Lyndon returned Sunday evening after spending a few days with her husband, Staff-Major Lyndon, of the 13th C. M. R., at Calgary.

LOST—A lady's light serge coat bag in front of the post office. Finder please return to Mrs. J. A. Smith, Claresholm, and receive a reward. 7-22-2

Messrs. Geo. and Nelson Dervaux of Lethbridge, Elmer Deveraux, of Coeur d'Alene and Mrs. M. Stitt of Lethbridge, were Sunday visitors at J. A. Gaudin's.

Charles W. Campbell, Chiropractor, from Stanton, will be at J. A. Gaudin's office Calgary street on Monday and Friday of each week from 2 to 5 o'clock p.m. 4-8-11.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Maxwell and family accompanied by Mr. Maxwell's sister, Mrs. Watson, spent Sunday with his brother L. E. Maxwell at Meadow Creek.

J. W. Hallitt motored over to Lo-mond on Monday, with his sister Mrs. H. B. Ditty who has been spending the past couple of weeks with her sons.

Miss A. Frank, of Edmonton, formerly instructor in Physical Culture at the School of Agriculture here, was in Claresholm visiting friends the latter part of last week.

O. Thompson, sent to Grannum Sunday, to take charge of the Western Canada Lumber Co. there, while the manager, Mr. McDougall is taking a couple of weeks' vacation.

Dr. McMillan has his two patients "Pattie" and "Minnie S" in Grannum this week where they are racing at the Grannum Fair, and of course expects to bring back the good Ribbons.

Mrs. Chas. Nixon, accompanied by her daughter in law, Mrs. J. Nixon, and daughter, of St. Mary's, Ontario, spent part of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knight.

R. L. Redfern, who has been keeping "Doll" Munro's Rhode Island Red chickens for the past year, shipped them to Mr. Munro's mother, Mrs. Wm. Munro, at Pilot Mound, Manitoba, this week.

There was a special intercession service held in the Methodist church last evening. Rev. W. E. MacNiven and H. M. Henderson gave addresses. Special music was rendered under the direction of Wm. Moffat. Collection was taken which went to the Patriotic Fund.

O. Thompson has resigned his position as manager of the Western Canada Lumber Co., to take charge of an elevator for the Alberta Grain Co. Mr. Thompson has been succeeded at the Lumber Co. by Mr. Hanson, of Banora.

H. C. Maxwell, of the 13th C. M. R., Sacre Camp, passed through town Saturday evening on his way to his home on north of town. He has been in a Calgary hospital for the past three weeks, but is able to be on duty again.

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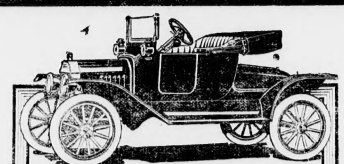
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Your local dealer advertises in your local paper; does the mail order dealer route the paper that you receive? No because as long as the local dealer supports the Review we do not intend to accept their full page ads.

Who puts up the money for sports, for the local hospital, for improvements and several other things; the merchant or the mail order house?

The merchant has to come across every time with the money, and the mail order house only sends more catalogues into the merchants territory to draw away his trade.

Did you ever write to a mail order

house for donations towards improvements?

The merchants pay taxes in your district to help defray expenses and thus lighten the burden on your shoulders. The mail order house pays taxes in a community hundreds of miles away from where you live and you receive no benefit. Trade at home.

Read the advertisements in the Review and see who helps support the paper you are reading.

HORSES STRAYED

Two bay mares, one weighing about 1300 lbs. with white spot on nose, black tail and mane and branded on her half circle on left thigh. One weighing about 1400 lbs., with white stripe on face, two white hind feet, black tail and mane. Finder please notify by phone or mail.

J. COLEMAN, Staveland, 4-4-11.

Are You Willing to take Boarders and Roomers?

Owing to the applications from outside students coming in earlier than usual, we shall be glad if the ladies in the Town of Claresholm who will be willing to take roomers and boarders this winter will kindly communicate with us at once.

We appreciate the effort put forth in previous years to accommodate the students who have been in attendance.

W. J. STEPHEN, Principal, School of Agriculture.

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The August issue of Rod and Gun in Canada published at Woodstock, Ont., by W. J. Taylor Limited, and now on the news stands, makes good reading for the sportsman. Its stories of hunting and fishing and "Deer Tales" descriptions of various outings in Canadian woods or on Canadian waters are in line with the season, and the magazine is one well worth while looking into the club or change bag when setting out on the annual summer vacation.

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That Mr. White's issue of four-cent millions of fiat money has found its way into the banks may perhaps be inferred from the fact that the holdings of Dominion notes by the banks increased during the past year by forty-one millions and fifty thousand dollars. The banks not hold in their first line of liquid reserves, as cash, a hundred and thirty-six millions of Dominion notes, and sixty-four millions of current coin. Dominion notes are not now convertible into current coin and if made convertible, the current coin available is insufficient. The danger of the inconvertible or fiat money, which the banks are obligated to take in exchange for convertible assets, is obvious. It ought to tame the enthusiasm of those who urge Mr. White to produce and unproductive undertakings, even those which are for the benefit of employment. Whatever happens to provide credit, our domestic credit, which de-

pends on the maintenance of a gold supply adequate for the redemption of the currency, ought to be carefully guarded.—Weekly Sun.

DOES ADVERTISING PAY?

It has been asked: "Does advertising pay?" A person advertised in a German paper that he would pay what in our money would be fifty cents to the sender of the largest potato. In less than fifteen days the advertiser found himself in possession of five sacks full of the very finest potatoes, which after paying the half dollar promised for the largest sample may well be reckoned a very profitable speculation.

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If you're used to giving thanks, Change your style, Three bouquets instead of rocks For a while.
Let the other fellow roost Shun him as you would a goat, Meet his hammer with a boast, And a smile.

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LIBERAL ORGAN IS HIS DEFENCE

An Ontario "conservative" talks on the
Brantford "Expositor" to Support
His Position on "Made-in-Canada"

The "Made-in-Canada" movement came in for considerable discussion during the Budget Debate in the recent session of the House of Commons. One or two members criticized the movement as being entirely selfish and in the interest of the manufacturer alone. In the course of the debate Mr. Fisher, the member for North Brant, quoted the Brantford "Expositor," one of the leading Liberal papers in Western Ontario, in support of the "Made-in-Canada" movement. After referring to the criticism of the "Made-in-Canada" movement, which had preceded his speech, Mr. Fisher stated that in his section of the Province of Ontario, which constituted an important industrial, as well as farming, centre, the people all firmly believed in this movement.

"Not alone the artisans of Hamilton, Dundas, Brantford, Paris, Guelph, Berlin, Oakville, Waterloo, Woodstock, Preston and other manufacturing centres, but the merchants and farmers as well realize the importance of the 'Made-in-Canada' movement. The artisan knows that increased demand for Canadian-made goods means better work and wages for himself, and consequently more comfort for his family; the merchant knows it means more and better business, while the farmer has learned the value of the home market and knows that it means a better market for everything he has to sell. This view is shared by Liberals and Conservatives alike. I should like to read a few short articles on this movement taken from the Brantford Expositor, the leading Liberal organ in the section from which I come, and I would commend these extracts to the hon. gentleman who has just taken his seat."

Cred For Canadians

On October 13, the Expositor published an article with the header "A good creed for Canadians," as follows:

"I believe in Canada.
I love her as my home.
I honor her institutions.
I rejoice in the abundance of her resources."

I have unbounded confidence in the ability and enterprise of her people, and I cherish the idea of her destiny among the nations of the world.

Anything that is produced in Canada from Canadian materials by the application of Canadian brain and labor, will always have first call with me."

On November 4, 1914, it published another article, from which the following is an extract:

"To keep prosperity in Canada and the spectre of hard times just means that from now on the people of Canada will consider their own business of first importance, will spend their money for the goods made in Canadian factories. It's the importance of maintaining Canadian payroll that puts us all on the same level."

Again on January 30,

"The people are anxious to give preference in their purchases to goods that are the product of Canadian industry, but they must be made more familiar with the nature and extent of these articles. An educational campaign backed up by frequent exhibits in every city and town in the country of 'Made-in-Canada' goods will do much to increase the activity of the manufacturing establishments of the Dominion."

Economic Epigrams

On February 3 the Expositor contained a number of economic epigrams, of which I will read two or three:

"Now that the real estate speculators are out of business in this country we are again estimating the value of land by the number of smokestacks. There's more money in the 'Made-in-Canada' habit than in the subdivision habit."

"God made the farm, but man makes the factory. The factories of Canada, created by Canadians, are entitled to the admiration of every farmer in Canada."

"Half the world does not know how the other half lives, and half the people of Canada might just as well say they don't care how the other half lives so long as they deliberately keep them out of work by buying imported goods."

These are clippings from the most prominent Liberal paper in that section of the country. I am sure that after listening to these extracts, every member in this House will agree that the "Made-in-Canada" policy has taken a strong hold on the people of Canada, and, as the importance of the question is better understood, this hold will continue to grow.

LIST OF FAIRS

Exhibitions to be held in Alberta, with dates on which they occur:

Sturtevant, August 6.
Nanton August 10, 11.
Clareholm August 12, 13.
Carmarthen August 17, 18.
Gleichen August 19, 20.
Mussau August 21.
Langdon August 6.
Edmonton August 9, 14.
Didsbury August 12, 13.
Vegreville August 17, 18.
Camrose August 18, 20.
Red Deer August 17, 20.
Lacombe August 24, 25.
Wetaskin August 27, 28.
Daysland August 3, 4.
Sedgewick August 5.
Provost August 8.
Chaurin August 10.
Chinook August 13.
Stony Plain August 17.
Fallsand Baxboro August 19.
Cardston August 24, 25.
Magrath August 27, 28.
Raymond August 31, September 2.
Collins September 3.
Hardisty September 7.
Edson September 8.
Nakamun September 10.
Estevale September 14.
Lethbridge September 15, 17.
Irvine September 21.
Taber September 22, 23.
Pincher Creek September 24.
Millerton September 28.
Pridell and Millerville Sept. 30.
Trochu September 1.
Strome Klam, September 2.
Westbentland September 3.
Cochrane September 7, 8.
Stettler September 9, 10.
Leduc September 14.
Hays September 15.
Lusitania September 16, 17.
Ponoka September 21, 22.
Coronation Sept. 23, 24, 25.
Ails September 28.
Innisfort September 29, 30.
Borden October 1.
Bashaw October 2.
Gadsby October 5.
St. Albert September 15, 16.
Okotoks September 17.
Lloydminster September 21, 22.
Kitscoty September 24.
Vermilion September 28, 29.
Innisville October 1.
Innisfree October 4, 5.
Ft. St. John October 7, 8.
Tofield September 14.

Holden, September 15.
Viking, September 16.
Irma, September 17.
Rocky Mountain House, September 20, 21.
Three Hills, September 22.
Olds, September 22, 24.
Hanna, September 22, 23.
Highland, September 24, 25.
St. Paul des Metis, Sept. 24, 15.
Elliott, September 17.
Bery Creek, September 24.
Westlock, September 21.
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Programme of Races and Sports at The Claresholm Exhibition to be Held August 12 and 13, 1915

FIRST DAY, AUGUST 12

	First	Second	Third	Entry
	Prize	Prize	Prize	Prize
1. Three-minute trot or pace horse best 2 in 3.....	\$20.00	\$10.00		\$20.00
2. Half mile heats, 2 in 3 running, 2000 1000.....				200
3. Local pony race for ponies 14 and under, owned in the district tributary to Claresholm to be ridden by boys under 16 Half mile.....	5.00	3.00		1.00

SECOND DAY, AUGUST 13

4. 2:12 Trot or 2:17 pace.....	\$90.00	\$25.00	\$15.00	
5. 2:35 Trot or 2:40 pace.....	60.00	25.00	15.00	
Entry for last two races five per cent and five per cent from winner. The five per cent figured on a \$100.00 prize.				
6. Mile dash (Claresholm Derby) the rider of the winner to receive a silver mounted whip.....	20.00	10.00		2.00
7. Open Pony race for ponies 14 and under, half mile.....	7.00	3.00		1.00
8. 3 Mile dash.....	10.00	5.00		1.00
9. Stakes for horses stabled by the National Bureau Station "Nashua" 2 mile.....	10.00	5.00		1.00
10. Local saddle horse race for local saddle horses not though owned in the district tributary to Claresholm that never won a purse exceeding \$50.00 in value to the winner.....	10.00	5.00		1.00
11. Quarter mile dash.....	7.00	3.00		1.00
12. Ladies' race confined to horses that never won a race exceeding \$30.00 in value to the winner, owned in the district tributary to Claresholm.....	5.00	2.00		.50

The meeting to be conducted under the rules of the American Trotting Association (of which the Claresholm Park Association is a member) and the usual rules and conditions of this meeting. All running races catch weights. Entries close the evening before running at 8:00 p.m.

Great Base Ball Tournament to commence on the 12th of August, confined to Rural base ball teams composed of the farming class in the district tributary to Claresholm. First prize \$15.00; Second prize \$10.00. Committee: J. E. Moffatt, R. E. Moffatt and J. F. Reynolds.

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